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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT 2

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Honorable Commissioner:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action, mailed 10/30/2002. Please amend the application as follows. All paragraph numbers correspond to the published application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please enter the following paragraph immediately after paragraph [0017]:

--**FIG. 5b** is an exploded perspective view illustrating an alternate embodiment of the studs or legs of the present invention.--

Please replace paragraph [0029] with the following rewritten paragraph:

--[0029] A sketch shown in **FIG. 5**, illustrates how the spherical head **40** is mounted to the leg **35**. **FIG. 5a** illustrates a sketch of the mounting of the threaded stud **50** having knob **45** through hole **55** of sleeve **25**. **FIG. 5b** illustrates an alternate embodiment in which leg **35** is threaded so that leg **35** may be threadedly inserted through the circumferential plate **10**--